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Wm & J. H. BARBER,

Have just received,

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Newport, June 8.

RICE

80 whole, and half Tierces Prime RICE, just landed and for Sale by

S. T. NORTHAM.

Newport, June 22.

N. E. RUM,

Made by the Subscriber and Sold at his Store, No. 128, Thames-Street, next South of the Mercury Office—Together with a general Assortment of GROCERIES, &c. by Wholesale and Retail—*Also*, Wood, Lumber, Flag and curb Stones, on the Wharf.

On Commission,

A few Bbls. first quality Albany ALE

40 boxes 6 by 8 and 7 by 9 Window Glass.

3,000 wt. Salt Pork.

40 Barrels Taunton GIN.

300 Do fresh Superfine Alexandria FLOUR

60,000 superior Alexandria SEGARS

ALSO, For Sale,

200 Hhds retailing MOLASSES.

500 bushels yellow Flint CORN.

HENRY BULL.

Newport, July 6.

SALT,

1200 bushels Turks-Island SALT.—*Also,*

14 Hhds. first quality Retailing MOLASSES.

Just landed and for Sale by

S. & G. BOWEN.

Newport, June 15.

TO LET,—*or Boarders wanted*

A PART of that pleasantly situated House in Middletown, (less than 2 miles from the State-House in Newport) on the Farm belonging to Capt. *J. Wood* being one of the pleasantest situations on the Island for a Summer residence will be fully ready for Boarders—or a few Boarders will be taken.—For terms, apply to the subscriber

JOHN ROSE.

Middletown, June 15.

NEW GOODS

S. H. CAHOONE,

111, *Thames-Street,*

Has this Day received,

AN Assortment of CRAPES, which he is selling at reduced prices.—*Also*, A handsome Assortment of Seasonable Goods, as usual,

Newport, June 15.

JOHN B. NEWTON,

Has just Opened,

A NEW Lot of GOODS, which together with his former stock makes his assortment complete,—Among them are;—

Merino and fancy Silk Hhdkfs; Jaconet Cambrics; British & American Shirtings; wide (dark) stripe Jeans; black twilled Bombazetts; Yellow Nankeens; cotton Cassimeres; Vestings; Hosiery; Gloves; black, green and white Lustrings; black Sinchaws; Canton Crapes; black Levantines of a superior quality; furniture Chintzs; flag and black Barcelona Hhdkfs; Calicoes; Feather Fans; Ribbons, an excellent assortment; American Stripes and Ginghams; hair Combs.

The above Goods, with others too numerous to mention, are offered for Sale at very reduced prices.

Newport, June 8

FRESH FLOUR.

FRESH Superfine FLOUR, for Family use, now landing from Schooner Ann, and for Sale by

S. & G. BOWEN.

Newport, July 6.

HATS,

NEW-YORK HATS, which are handsome and cheap, including the fashionable Oval, and wide and common brims—Youths and Children's Hats.

Paper-Hangings,

For Rooms and Window Curtains, with elegant Borders—some very low priced.

Books,

Family Bibles, with plates,—Blank Account Books—Blunts Navigator and Coast Pilot, last editions—Alden's and Webster's Spelling-Books—Murray's Reader and Grammar—Walker's Dictionary.—School-Books of every kind in use.—Also, Small Bibles, Testaments, Watts Psalms and Hymns.—50 Reams Foolscap, Writing and Letter Paper.—Are just received and for Sale at the Book and Hat Store of

GEORGE WANTON,

Agent to E. Hathaway.

Newport Jun. 6.

FOR SALE,

THE Brig UNION, about 113 Tons burthen, now lying at Dean's Wharf—she is well calculated for the West-India Trade, and may be considered a good vessel of her class, and well found—she will be sold low, to close a concern.—For further particulars and terms, apply to

GEORGE TILLEY.

Newport, July 6

NOTICE,

IS hereby given, that agreeably to an Act of the Hon. General Assembly passed at their June Session A. D 1822 there will be sold at Public Auction, on the 30th day of September next, at One o'clock P. M One-half of a large House and Garden situated on Little Rest hill, in South-Kingstown, now occupied by Widow *Mary Barker*, and is a good situation for a Public or private House.—The Estate is subject to a life Lease, and to the dower of two Widows; said estate belongs to the heirs of Joseph Pollock, deceased.—The bounds of the Estate, and Conditions of Sale, made known at the time and place.

GEORGE BROWN, jun. *Auc'r.*

W. W. POLLOCK *Guardian*

South-Kingstown, June 21, 1822.

New Goods,

R. P. LEE,

Has Just Received,

AN additional supply of seasonable Articles, that enables him to offer a very large Assortment of DRY GOODS, which he is determined to sell at the lowest prices.—*Among them are,*

Real double chain black Levantines; superior black and colored Crapes; white and colored plain Silk Shawls; Merino Shawls and Hdkfs; elegant fancy silk do; white and colored feather fans; common and very fine linen Cambrics; fashionable pattern Dresses; elegant Parasols from 9s to $5; Cotton Umbrellas; Book Muslins and Lenoes; Jaconet and Mulls; fancy Ribbons; shell and horn Combs, cheap Irish Linens, &c. &c.

Newport, June 15.

NEW GOODS.

JOB SHERMAN,

A LARGE Supply of SEASONABLE GOODS, among which are:—

Elegant Canton CRAPES, of different colours.

Drab, Olive and Black Bombazines.

Silk Goods, and a few Pieces of Persians.

Silk and Merino Handkerchiefs.

Elegant Vestings.

Calicoes, a great Assortment, cheap

Also Russia, English and home-made Diapers some very stout.

A Variety of Domestic COTTONS, by the Piece—Good Bedticking.

Scotch and Straw Carpetings

Ivory and Horn long, round and neck Combs.

Lustre Ware in setts, and a few Tea Pots separate—China in setts or single dozen, cheaper than ever.—Glass Ware, &c. &c.

Likewise. A handsome Assortment of PAPER-HANGINGS

Newport, 1st of 6th mo. 1822.

Closing up, for a Removal.

& No. 1, Custom-House Court,

Has just Opened,

THE Cheapest Lot of Piece Goods, that was ever offered in this state—as no is in expectation of leaving this place in the Fall, is determined to sell his whole Stock off at cost, to close up his business before he removes—He has wide Bombasins for 6d9 the yard; the nicest Merino Handkerchiefs $3 37; Ladies Cotton Hose as low as 1s6 per pair; Black Lustrings from 3s3 to 3s9; Thread Laces from 6d to 7s6 per yard—and Super Broadcloths 10 or 15 per cent. cheaper than ever—and all other articles proportionably Cheap

W. J. T. wishes all those who have demands against him to call and receive their pay and those who are indebted to him by Note or Book Account, to call and settle with him in sixty days

Newport, June 29

Rhode-Island Union Bank

AT the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the RHODE-ISLAND UNION BANK held pursuant to Charter on MONDAY the 1st inst. the following persons were unanimously elected Directors for the year ensuing, viz.—

Christopher G. Champlin, William Crooke, Christopher Fowler, Stephen T. Northam, John P. Mann, Jonathan Bowen, George Engs, Anthony Wilbur, Robert P. Lee.

And at a subsequent Meeting of the Directors, CHRISTOPHER G. CHAMPLIN Esq. was re-elected President.

JOHN L. BOSS, *Cashier,*

Newport, July 5.

NEW ASSORTMENT!

N. SWEET & CO.

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THAMES-STREET.

Are constantly receiving,

ADDITIONAL supplies of CHEAP Goods, suitable to the Season, and are determined to sell them very low for Cash; they invite their Old Customers and the Public to give them a call, and they cannot help buying.—Among them are the following:—

English Goods,

Real Superfine blue, black and brown Broadcloths and Cassimeres; black, blue brown, olive and French grey Bombazets, from 20 cents to 3s6; scarlet, green and crimson Salisbury Flannels; white Flannels from 2s to 6s; Welch do very cheap; red and yellow ditto; elegant Scotch Plaids of the newest patterns; Cassimere Shawls, with and without borders; Crape, cassimere and cotton do with merino borders; Ratinett; double width Bombazin; Denmark satin for shoes; Venetian stair Carpeting for 3s6; Scotch ingrain ditto, from 6s to 6s9; Witton Rugs; pink, purple and blue striped Jean; white and coloured Marseilles Vestings; elegant Valencia ditto; black, leno, jaconet and muslins; a complete assortment of Calicoes from 1s to 2s; Ginghams for 1s6; cotton shirtings; cotton Cambrics from 1s6 to 3s6 per yard; furniture Calicoes and Chintzes

Hosiery,

Silk, black and white, from 7s6 to 15s per pair; white and coloured, mixed, cotton, hemp, worsted lamba wool do cotton and hemp socks for only 1s6.

French Goods,

Elegant small merino point worked border Shawls; large merino Shawls cheap; imitation and French Crapes; Levantine, double chain black, olive & cinnamon Lustrings, for only 3s; gentlemens and ladies white and black silk Hose; silk gloves; white and coloured kid gloves; elegant plaid silk Hhdkfs; Parasols from 9s to 5 dollars.

American Goods.

Unbleached real good shirtings for only 1s per yard; Sheeting do. from 1s to 20 cents; blue stripe, shambray and plaid for 1s; bedticking, white and figured Jeans; feather fans.

Canton Goods.

Real good Canton Crapes from 5 to $5 50 the half piece; Sinchaws and Sarsnets; Nankin Crapes; black and yellow Nankins; Nankin crape dresses; bandanno and flag Hhdkfs.

Russia Goods,

Russia Diaper from 1s to 1s6 per yd. and 4 dols. per piece; linen Damask 6 4 wide for only 4s6 per yard, for cheap Table Cloths.

An elegant assortment of horn Combs and the cheapest lot of Turtle-shell Combs ever offered in Newport.

Elegant Assortment of Ribbons.

LEGHORNS.

A very cheap Lot of Leghorn Flats and Gipsies.

An assortment of Oil Cloths for Tables—Elegant mowhair Nets—Silver-eyed Needles for only 2s per hundred—Tapes, Pins and wire Thread.

ALSO DAY & MARTIN'S Real Japan BLACKING

Newport, June 29.

New-England Commercial Bank.

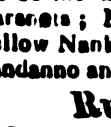
THE Stockholders of this Institution are notified. That a Dividend will be declared and paid at their Banking-House, on and after MONDAY, the first day of July 1822 to those who appear by the books of the Bank to hold stock on the 25th instant, after which time the transfer of shares will be suspended until the 1st of July.

By order of the Board of Directors.

W. S. DEBLOIS GHAM, *Cashier*

Newport, June 18

TO LET.



THE Dwelling-House Wharf and Stores on Le Point late the property of *Thomas Dennis*, and occupied by *Joseph Marble*—Apply to

W. MARCHANT,

Newport, May 3, 1822

ISAAC GOULD.

No. 176, Thames-Street,

HAS just received, and offers for Sale, as low as can be purchased in Town for Cash:—

Real West of England Black and Blue BROADCLOTHS, of the very first chop,

super Black blue, drab and newest fashion Queen's mixt Cassimeres

Low priced Broadcloths and Cassimeres.

Tollenett, Valencia, Circassian and Silk Vestings.

superlative Vest Shapes, a fashionable new article

Cassinetts and Satinetts.

Real Scotch Plaid 3 4 wide.

Silk and Cotton Velvets.

Rich gilt Coat and Vest Buttons—Twist ditto—Cheap Gilt Buttons for Children's Cloths

Webb's Patent suspenders

French buck and doe skin Gloves.

Very fine Cravats and fancy Hhdkfs.

With a general Assortment of Articles in his line

Newport, March 30

Landholder's BANK,

AT a Meeting of the Stockholders of the *LANDHOLDER'S BANK* on the 7th day of June instant, (by adjournment) the following persons were appointed Directors thereof for the ensuing year viz;—

Elisha R. Potter, James Sherman, Thomas S. Taylor, John J. Watson, Rowland Hazard, John G. Clarke, Samuel R. Potter, Rowse Clarke, Nathan Knight, John R. Sherman, Benjamin Robinson, Joseph Stanton, William P. Newell.

And at a Meeting of the Directors on the same day ELISHA R. POTTER, Esq was appointed President

THOMAS R. WEST, *Cashier.*

South-Kingstown, June 19.

Bank of Rhode-Island,

THE Stockholders are hereby notified, That a semi-annual Dividend will be declared and paid at said Bank on MONDAY, the 1st day of July next, to such persons as shall appear by the books of said Institution, to be stockholders the ensuing Thursday, the 27th inst. or to their Agents or Attornies

By Order,

W. MARCHANT, *Cashier.*

Newport, June 20

R. I Bridge Company.

THE Stockholders are notified that a Dividend of Profits will be declared and paid, on and after MONDAY, the 17th inst. until compleated.

By Order,

W MARCHANT, *Clerk.*

Newport June 10.

NOTICE.

THE Subscribers appointed Executors of the Last Will and Testament of

CHARLES FERE,

late of Newport, Druggist, deceased having given bonds as the law directs, for the faithful discharge of the trust, request all persons indebted to said Estate, to make immediate payment, and all persons having any demands, to present them to

MARY TOWNSEND,

JOHN F. TOWNSEND.

Newport, May 25.

Rooms to Lent, or Boarders Wanted.

THE Subscriber wishes to Let 3 or 4 Rooms, in the House occupied by him, in the rear of the *N E Commercial Bank* for the Summer months, or longer—or would accommodate from 3 to 6 Boarders.—Said Rooms may be had with or without furniture

ROBERT STEVENS, jun.

Newport June 1.

Athenæum,

Or, Spirit of the English Magazines.

JUST published, The ATHENÆUM; *Or, Spirit of the English Magazines*, for July 1st, 1822

☞ Subscriptions for the above interesting Work, are received by the subscriber the Agent in Newport.

J. C. SHAW.

Newport, July 6.

FOREIGN NEWS.

NEW-YORK, July 10.
Latest from England.

BY the arrival of the Packet Ship James Cropper, this evening, in 39 days from Liverpool, we have received our regular files of papers to the 1st of June.—We have only time to say, that the accounts of the relations between Russia and Turkey are as contradictory and varied, as at any preceding period. In the London papers of May 28th, all is pacific, and a treaty of peace confidently talked of. Next day presents us with nothing but expectations of war, and somewhat in a form which seems to leave little doubt that the negociations would terminate in an appeal to the sword.

A conspiracy had been discovered at Lisbon to overthrow the Constitutional government, and those implicated taken up and sent out of the country.—Spain was perfectly tranquil.

The London *Sun* of the 28th of May, says, that the progress of famine and pestilence in Ireland, has now reached an appalling extent, and the accounts from almost all quarters of the distressed districts are of the most afflicting description. Thousands of families are in a state of utter destitution. The typhus fever is extending its fatal activity over a large surface of the country. Many have already perished of disease and want. Even those who are rescued from starvation by the efforts of humanity, in many thousands receive only half a pound of oatmeal each per diem, a quantity of food, which, while it is sufficient to sustain life, is not enough to preserve the miserable victims from the torments of hunger.

The American Intercourse and Colonial Trade Bill, were read in the House of Commons on the 24th of May, and ordered for a third reading on the Friday following.

The second reading of the Catholic bill in the House of Peers, had been postponed in consequence of the temporary absence of Earl Grey, whose mother had just deceased.

In the House of Commons a plan was brought forward on the 24th of May, for the further payment of military and naval pensions, and civil superannuations. It is intended to vest the fixed annuities of 2 350,000*l.* for 45 years, in Trustees, to be appointed by Parliament, and who will receive the government securities for that purpose.

The object proposed to be effected by this arrangement, is the remission of two millions of the present taxes. Of the 15*s* duty on salt, 13*s*. is to be remitted, and in Scotland the duty is to be reduced from 6*s* to 4*s*. On this article is to be computed that 1,500,000*l.* will be relinquished to the people. The window and hearth money taxes, and half the present leather taxes are also to be remitted, together with the whole of the tonnage duty on British ships imposed in the year 1812. "We thus arrive," says the Courier, "at a total of two millions of taxes now remitted to the public, as a contemporaneous and accompanying measure with the commutation of the half pay and pension charges, and which, including the late horse and malt taxes, makes a grand total of four millions of taxes remitted within the last twelvemonth!"

The Duke of Richelieu, the late prime minister of France, died suddenly on his arrival from England at his country seat near Paris.

Much excitement prevailed in France during the late elections. The Liberals are said to have prevailed.

The Grand Duke Michael left St. Petersburgh on the 1st of May, and Prince Galitzin left Paris on the 18th May, for the purpose of joining the Russian army.

The London papers are filled with details respecting the affair betwixt the ship Topaze and the Chinese government. No adjustment had taken place at the date of the last accounts.

LONDON, May 29.

We have received the Paris papers of Sunday last. The Gazette de France and the Quotidienne contain the following paragraph:

"An extraordinary courier from Vienna, which arrived on Saturday evening at 8 o'clock, has brought the ambassador of one of the great powers the important intelligence, that the differences between Russia and the Porte were finally arranged."

The following are extracts:

"*Moscow, May* 4.—They write that large magazines are forming in Bessarabia. The evacuation of Wallachia and Moldavia is no longer to be thought of. The heavy artillery of the Janissaries has been brought back, and the number of troops increases every day.

"*Vienna, May* 15.—We were not deceived when we said the Porte was merely gaining time, in the hope of putting down the Greeks, and getting rid of the Persian war, which is always a very serious war on hand. It is calculated here that as things are going on, should the transmission of notes, conferences and the Porte be as slow as hitherto in answering, the negociation may be spun out yet another year.

"*Odessa, May* 3.—We have news of the 27th of April from Constantinople. They are important. The Porte has answered in writing the notes of Lord Strangford and M. de Lutzow. The answer is dated April 16, is full of sophisms, and but an echo of that of the 28th of February; so that it would seem the Turks have now their *ultimatum* as well as the Russians."

"*Madrid, May* 16.—The capital is tranquil. Troops arrive from all quarters in Catalonia. The culpable attempts of the faction can avail nothing. Some trifling affairs with their bands are of favourable augury. The Royal Carbineers are suppressed: they were suspected of hostility to the new order. The Minister of Finance Valeso who agreed with the French house of Hardouin for a loan, has been pronounced a person to be brought to trial, and the loan has been cancelled by the Cortes."

St. Petersburgh, May 27.—M. V. Tatischeff arrived here from Vienna on the 30th April, at 4 o'clock, P. M. His majesty, the Emperor happened to be absent at Zarskojeselo. The dispatches brought by M. de Tatischeff were immediately sent to the Emperor by an express. A privy council was held on them at the Palace on the 1st inst. and we shall now very shortly know the result of these deliberations, and the measures which our beloved Monarch may think proper to be taken.

The crown has lately made large contracts for the conveyance of military stores to Minsk and Riga.

We have received the following accounts from the Turkish Frontiers:

"A large army is forming near Nissa, and for this month past troops from Albania, Bosnia, Macedonia, and Scutari are ordered thither by the Divan, the members of which are said to differ extremely in their opinions since the death of Ali Pacha. In case of war, the whole Turkish army will unite there, cross the Danube at Widdin, and occupy Wallachia, extending to the Austrian territories. The army of the Grand Vezier advances in two columns, one by way of Sophia to Rudschuck, the other by way of Schumla to Bratlow. Chourschid Pacha, the favourite of the day, but whose motions it is said are greatly impeded by the Greeks, is likewise to have a command in the great Turkish army assembling on the Danube.

"On the frontiers of Bosnia, the Turks have had some disputes with the local authorities.

"According to authentick accounts, Persia is inclined to peace with the Porte, if the latter will accede to certain demands, to which, however, it refuses to listen. Mr. Whitlock, the English Resident at Teheran, exerts all his efforts to mediate a peace between the two Powers."

We have received the Paris Papers of Saturday. They furnish conflicting accounts with respect to the pacific aspect of the negociations between Russia and Turkey, and war is still anticipated by some. The following are extracts:—

"*Vienna, May* 14 (Extract of a private letter)—A letter from Constantinople of the 26th of April states, that the Reis Effendi had at length transmitted a written answer to the Austrian and English ministers, but that the answer was in substance nothing but a copy of the note of the 28th of February with some modifications. It is added, that the Porte had refused to evacuate Wallachia and Moldavia before the Greeks insurrection should be put down. Salonica was still menaced by the Greeks. A courier who left Aleppo the 14th of April, had brought intelligence that the Schah of Persia and his sons were marching upon Bagdad with a numerous army."

By the Mails.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.
CHARLESTON, JUNE 29.
Insurrection of Negroes.

THE Court of Magistrates and Freeholders, convened for the trial of sundry persons of colour, charged with an attempt to raise an insurrection in this State, after acquitting several, unanimously found the following *Guilty* and passed upon them the Sentence of Death; to be carried into execution on Tuesday next, the 2d July; between 6 and 8 o'clock in the morning;—Denmark Vesey, a free black man; Rolla, Batteau, Ned, Slaves of Gov. Bennett, Peter, the Slave of James Poyas, Esq.; Jesse, the Slave of J. Blackwood, Esq.

July 1.

At a moment of no inconsiderable excitement, the citizens of Charleston learn with great regret, that the members of the Court now assembled for the trial of persons suspected of an attempt to excite an insurrection in this State, propose to retire.

GEORGIA.
SAVANNAH, JUNE 30.
Case of the Apollo.

The Commissioners appointed by the order of the District Judge, have awarded to Emil Bringeon of Havre, owner of the French ship Apollo, Edou master, *twenty five thousand dollars.*

It will be recollected that the Apollo was seized by the police officers of St. Mary's, in Sept. 1820, for an alledged violation of the act imposing a duty of 18 dollars per ton on French vessels, passed the 15th May, 1820, and that a decree was passed *pro forma* in the March following, in the Admiralty Court, Georgia District, awarding restitution of vessel and cargo, leaving the question of costs and damages open to adjudication. The above is the result.

PENNSYLVANIA.
PHILADELPHIA, JULY 9.
Latest from South-America.

A friend has obligingly put into our hands the Caraccas paper, the Anglo-Columbiano of the 8th ult. and the "Iris of Venezuela," also printed at Caraccas of the 17th ult. We have translated the following articles from the Iris

17th June, 1822.

On the morning of the 13th inst. the government had the satisfaction to receive from the Gen. of Brigade, Lino de Clemente, the first intelligence of the splendid and decisive victory obtained by the armies of Colombia under the command of his excellency the Liberator President, over the Spanish army that defended the capital of Quito, whose precious liberty remains forever assured. The publication of the news by proclamation, and the illumination of the city for 3 successive nights, were immediately arranged, together with such other demonstrations of joy as the shortness of the notice would permit.—The people of Caraccas have celebrated with enthusiasm the news of a battle which, like its sister battles at Boyaca and Carabobo, to which it may at least be compared as to the importance of its consequences, exalts the renown of the republic, immortalizes the valor of her warriors, and binds us by new ties of gratitude to the hero who conducted them to victory.

Republic of Colombia.

Department of Zulia.
Maracaibo, 23d May, 1821.

To the Intendant ad interim of Venezuela.

This morning I received, by post, from the Secretary of State, and of the Department of War, the following communication:

"I have the greatest satisfaction in forwarding you, that H. E. the Liberator President, has gained a complete victory over the enemy of Quito. The battle was fought on the 7th April last, on the heights of Cariaco. The General of Brigade, Joseph de Jesus Barreto, has brought this probable intelligence from Popayan, but without giving other details, which he proposes to transmit hereafter. The battle was bloody, and the loss considerable for the enemy, who besides being deprived of their general in chief, Murgeon, by his death, saw the flower of their troops perish. On our side, we know that General Torres, and Lieutenant Colonel J. Paris, were wounded."

I forward the above tidings for your satisfaction.—God preserve you many years.

LINO DE CLEMENTE,
Intendant General of Zulia.

NEW-YORK,
NEW-YORK, JULY 8.
From Valparaiso.

We regret to have to state, that Capt. Coffin, of the ship Carolina Ann, confirms the account, before reported, of the loss of a boat belonging to the Franklin, 74, with several valuable lives. The boat was upset on the 19th March, about 15 miles to the northward of Valparaiso.

The persons lost were Lieut. A. Perry; Dr. Cornelius E. Dupuy naturalist; Midshipmen John Creamer, Robert Marshall, Edward Preble, and Robert B. Coffin; and John Smith and M. W. Reed, seamen.

Saved Reuben R. Pinham, midshipman, and Willian M'Daniels, seaman.

Five of the bodies had been found, but it was not ascertained which they were.

Capt Coffin left the Franklin, 74, and frigate Constitution, Capt. Ridgley, at Valparaiso, on the 16th March; the latter just arrived from Conception.

It was understood, that some of the officers and men of the Franklin would be transferred to the Constellation, on her sailing for the United States.

The Philadelphia Gazette of Friday last furnishes the following extracts of letters received from officers on board the Franklin.

"I open my letter to add a melancholy postscript—yesterday morning lieut. Perry (brother to the late Commodore,) second sailing-master D. Depuy, midshipmen R. Marshall J. Creamer, E. Preble, and R. B. Coffin, Reuben R. Pinkham and three men, started in our first cutter on a shooting party—when they arrived at what they supposed the landing-place, they attempted to stand in for shore, when a heavy breaker struck the boat, and exposed her broadside to the sea, and the succeeding billow capsized her. Mr Pinkham and one of the men were the only survivors. Every exertion has been made, though unsuccessfully, to recover their bodies. Not only the "*star spangled banner*" but every color in port is half-masted, in token of sorrow and respect. Com. Sir Thomas Hardy was the first to shew an example, with that true delicacy which ever distinguishes the man of fine feeling. He no sooner heard of the melancholy circumstance, than he paid this silent compliment both to the dead and to the living. He was followed by all the others, without distinction of country.

Lieut. Perry, careless of his own life, died in the act of encouraging Mr Coffin, who was very young, to struggle against the opposing billows; but it had been written in the book of fate that neither of them should again meet the welcome of friends on earth. All of them were greatly and justly beloved. Their dying hour was unsoothed by the offices of friendship; no kind hand was present to close their eyes; no funeral retinue followed them to the grave; no prayers were offered up over their corpses; the roaring of the sea was their lullaby—ocean's deep bottom was their tomb."

Another letter from the Franklin gives the following description of the passage from Rio Janeiro:

We left there the 10th Dec. and in our passage round the Cape experienced none of that tremendous weather described by Commodore Porter, and other navigators. The winds were fresh, but steady; the weather cold, and rendered disagreeable by continual rain and sleet; and only once or twice was there any thing approximating to a gale; so that after a passage of fifty-two days we arrived at Cumberland Bay, off Juan Fernandez.

Our curiosity was naturally awakened as we approached the shore of this island not only from the noble and romantic appearance which it presented, but from its being the residence of Selkirk; and a desire to ramble over those scenes which are so ably described in the entertaining story founded upon his history, but contrary to all expectations we found the island inhabited by a small colony, composed principally of *convict royalists* under the government of a *Patriot Chief* and his aid. Their habitations, about twenty in number, are situated on the beach, which affords the most convenient harbor of which the island can boast.

On their rear and flanks they are surrounded by mountains almost inaccessible; and had it instead of its now paltry fort of three guns, a strong battery capable to repel an enemy's naval attack, the town might, with propriety be styled invulnerable; for the only path by which the mountains are passable, is so steep, narrow and rugged, and even perpendicular from the sea, that it reminds the beholder of Scott's description, where,

"With peasant's staff on valiant hand
Might well the dizzy path have mann'd,
'Gainst hundreds arm'd with spear and brand,
And plung'd them in the deep"

Were the South-Americans endued with any spirit of enterprize, or in fact even possessed of common industry, this place would soon assume an agricultural rank and importance, equal if not superior to any portion of country they now possess; but the God of Indolence here reigns with supreme sway. Nine months have elapsed since the first settlement of the colony; yet, with the exception of their miserable huts, they have not made a single improvement, their only care being to provide food sufficient to sustain nature, which is easily effected, as fish and game abound, and through the foresight of former visitors, fruit and vegetables are abundant, and all excellent in their kinds.

Here, in the latter part of January, peaches, cherries, strawberries, figs and peas, are in perfection. In the vallies innumerable quantities of radishes and carrots are found. Oats and timothy have been sown, and thrived well, consequently their grazing cattle are fine and fat. These consist of wild horses, cattle goats and hogs, some of which they have partly domesticated.

After remaining here three days, when we were joined by the schooner Dolphin, from whom we had parted company in doubling the cape, and our store-ship the Canton, after painting ship, watering and wooding, we set sail for this place, thinking that we were taking a last farewell of our colonial acquaintance—when lo! scarce had we been a week in port, when an English whaler arrived freighted with the whole colony, and the Governor immediately paid us a visit; so that poor Juan Fernandez is again reduced to an uninhabited isle.

From Laguira.

By the arrival of the brig Georgetown Packet, in 16 days passage, we learn of Capt. Rathbone, as follows:—Gen. BOLIVER had achieved a great victory at Quito—the Spanish General MORALES had shot himself in consequence thereof. The inhabitants of Caraccas were in a state of alarm, on account of an Indian leader having sprung up and obtained a considerable number of followers, who were entering and pillaging the neighboring villages. The negroes had been endeavouring to raise a mutiny in Caraccas, and some of them had been expelled the country."

The Patriot squadron of 9 sail had arrived at Laguira from off Porto Cavello, much shattered, having had an engagement with the Spanish squadron at that place. They were refitting, and increasing their force to return to the blockade. The Spanish frigate Ligera, and brig of war Hercules, had gone to Porto Rico, for provision, and were to return to Porto Cavello immediately after.

THE MERCURY,
Newport,
Saturday, July 13, 1822.

FOREIGN NEWS.

By the arrival at New-York on Wednesday, of the Packet ship James Cropper, from Liverpool, papers to the 1st of June have been received; extracts from which will be found under our foreign head.—The intelligence by this arrival does not appear to be very important.—There was no immediate prospect of a war between Russia and Turkey.

MR. LOWNDES.

This distinguished Statesman, and family, arrived here on Thursday last, with the intention, as we understand, of residing here during the summer months.

We sincerely hope that the salubrity of our climate may be the means of confirming his health, and enable him to resume at the next Session of Congress, his useful and heretofore highly applauded labours.

SPANISH CLAIMS.

The Board of Commissioners under the Spanish Treaty, sitting at Washington, adjourned on Monday last week, to the 2d Tuesday of October. All the suspended cases have been determined on by them. The mass of claims presented to the Board was immense. Many were rejected; and those *received* it is understood amount to *seventeen millions* of dollars.—Of course, the Five Millions provided by the treaty to meet them, will cover only about 30 per cent. of their amount. Other accounts say, that the claims received are calculated to exceed twenty millions; but that these are to undergo an ordeal which may melt them down very considerably.—*Bos. Cen.*

PIRATES TAKEN.

Capt. Wilcox, of the brig Mary, of this port, arrived at Charleston on the 2d inst. in 7 days from Havanna, informs, that the U. S. sch'r Grampus arrived at Havanna on the 23d, and the Spark on the 25th ult. from a cruize in the Old Straits. They had captured five piratical boats and two armed schooners, and have taken seven men, but the others unfortunately made their escape. Besides the regular vessels of war belonging to the United States that are cruizing for Pirates about the Old Straits, there is now an additional and very useful force, consisting of four small schooners and 8 boats, manned with 120 men. These small craft will be able to follow the pirates into the shoal water along the coasts, where the heavier vessels could not act.

Adams and Russell.

The reply of Mr. Russell to the Note of Mr. Adams, was published at Washington on the 3d inst. The rejoinder of Mr. Adams may therefore be looked for in the course of a few days.

The National Ægis says, it is authorised by Mr. Russell to state, that the suggestion that he has declared himself in favour of Mr. Clay for President, is incorrect; that whatever may be his opinion of Mr. Adams, he has never taken part against him, and that he is pledged to the support of no man as President.

VACCINATION.

We understand that already *Six Hundred and Twenty-five* persons have been vaccinated in this town—and that the Physicians will continue to perform the operation at the Rev. Dr. PARTEN'S Meeting-House, during this day, and the succeeding Saturday, from 3 to 5 o'clock P. M.—It is to be hoped that no person will neglect this opportunity, to receive the invaluable benefit now gratuitously offered for their acceptance.

INDEPENDENCE.

The following volunteer toasts were given at the late celebration of American Independence, at the city of Washington:—

By the Secretary of State—The American Heroes; here, and the Declaration of Independence—A new world of matter, for a new world of mind.

By the Secretary of the Treasury—The Federal and State Governments—If on the exercise of their respective powers collisions arise, the wisdom of the nation will devise the means of restoring the most harmonious concert.

By the Secretary of War.—The cause in which Warren bled, and Washington triumphed.

By the Secretary of the Navy.—National Industry, encouraged by National Policy—Or extending equal protection to Agriculture, Commerce, and Manufactures,

FROM CURRACOA.

Capt. Folger, arrived at New-York on Wednesday, in 14 days from Curacoa, informs, that letters from Porto Cavello of the 19th ult. had been received, at which time it was thought that the place could not hold out a week longer.

The venerable CHARLES THOMPSON, who was Secretary of Congress during the whole of the revolution, and whose signature attested the truth of the Resolutions and Bulletins of Congress, is still alive, active, and healthy, at his seat about 12 miles from Philadelphia. He is now in his 93d year.

CINCINNATI.

The Anniversary Meeting of the Society of Cincinnati of this State, was held in Providence on the 4th instant. The following gentlemen were unanimously re-elected officers of the same for the year ensuing :—Colonel Daniel Lyman, President; Colonel Ephraim Bowen, Vice-President; Capt Samuel Snow, Secretary; George Olney, Esq Treasurer.

The Yellow Fever is said to be very prevalent at the Havanna, especially among the strangers and foreign vessels in that port.

Warm weather—The Montgomery (Alabama) Republican, states that the weather in that country has been uncommonly hot and sultry There had been no rain for several weeks, and the mercury stood as high as 108 degrees of Farenheit. A few cases of bilious fever had appeared; but the surrounding country was generally healthy The Mobile Commercial Register says the thermometer has not stood above 96 degrees in the shade, at that place; but the hot and dry weather had produced a number of cases of fever, and that much sickness might be anticipated unless there was a change in the atmosphere.

From the N. Y. Commercial Advertiser

We observe that the extreme heat of the season has begun to excite the apprehensions of our southern brethren; and the cases of what is called a *Country Fever*," are beginning to make their appearance to a considerable extent. In Charleston five persons are reported to have died of this fever, during the week previous to the 2d instant. At Havana, according to the last accounts, the yellow fever was raging, and was fatal to strangers—Almost every American vessel in port had lost some of its crew. Accounts from Mobile of the 13th of June, state, that a number of cases of fever had at that early period appeared, and from the long prevalence of hot dry weather, much sickness was anticipated.

The Pirates.

Extract of a letter received at Philadelphia, written on board the Grampus, off Paredon Grand, coast of Cuba, on June 17.

"From Cayo Largo we proceeded to Salt Key, and found the pirates had left there two days—we took a gun and some anchors left by them, searched the Island for hidden goods, and made prisoners of two Spaniards who offered to pilot us to their rendezvous at Sagua le Grande. Thither we posted, but found they were off; we then visited several Keys, and remained three days at Aguadilla; thence, for Havana, we fell in with a French brig that had been robbed by the pirates the day previous we took a man out of her to recognize them, and hauled our wind for Sugar Key, where we arrived in 4 days, and having been joined by the Shark, Capt. Perry, the boats were despatched under his command, with 90 men well armed and a small schooner, a prize, called the Pirate, off this place; we discovered two schooners but could not get at them on account of the shoal water, the largest of them have most of her plunder overboard, and then made their escape up Ri Guajaba.

"The next day having received information of another of their stations under a chief named Raphaelini—bore away for this quarter, next morning fell in with Capt. Perry and two schooners, he had captured—the crews of both had escaped into the woods. A party of men were landed in pursuit and divided in seperate parties—at sundown they returned to the boats except one Marine. At daylight a search was made in the woods for the lost man; some of the men heard the report of a musket, hastened to the spot and found the Marine, with a Spaniard over him and in the act of stabbing him with his bayonet; our men gave a shout, presented their muskets, upon which he dropt his weapon fell on his knees and begged for mercy, promising to pilot us to the pirate rendezvous

"It appeared the marine after losing his companions the evening before, had fallen in with this man, whom he detained all night as a prisoner in the morning being anxious to join his comrades, and at the same time in want of food he immediately discharged his musket at a bird and was immediately attacked by the pirate and rescued from death by our sudden appearance.

"To-morrow we are off for Sagua le Grande, where Raphaelin's squadron are lying and frolicking away their prize money, said to amount to one hundred and eighty thousand dollars. The expedition is under captain Perry, of the Shark, and consists of one schr. of 80 tons, a prize, one of 30 tons, do. 2 launches, 2 cutters, 1 gig, and a piratical boat, carrying in all about 80 men, well armed with an 18, 12 and 6 pound carronade, and 3 1 pound swivels, extra muskets &c.

BANGOR BANK

A committee of the Directors and Messrs Andrews and French, the Agents of this Bank, have given public notice that specie payment of its bills will be renewed on the 1st of December ensuing, *or sooner if practicable*;—that no losses beyond the ability of the Corporation to sustain, have accrued;—that the debts due to the Bank are secure, and that the notes in circulation do not exceed 130,000 dollars.

At the celebration of the 4th. in Norfolk (Vir) just as the company, consisting of about 400, were seated by the festive board, under an immense tent, the rain descended in such torrents, accompanied by a heavy gale of wind, as to compel some of them to retreat into an adjoining house, which being insufficient to accommodate the whole, "many were well soaked, and but few escaped without a wet jacket"—The whole table was drenched with water.

The crew of the United States' brig Enterprise, recently arrived at New-York, has become sickly Four officers, including two Midshipmen and 10 seamen, have been sent to the quarantine hospital Lieutenant Coxe (of Philadelphia) died on board at Charleston, of black vomit. The Commander, Lieut Kearney, is well The vessel has been ordered to perform a rigid quarantine of 20 days.

The United States, frigate Macedonian Captain Biddle, arrived at Cape Haytien; June 18, in 14 days from Havana, and sailed the 20th for Port-au-Prince. The sloop of war Hornet, Captain Henly, was at the Cape when the Macedonian arrived, and went on a cruise to the windward the 19th of June The officers and crews of both vessels were in tolerable good health.

General Dearborn, our new Minister to Portugal, has sailed from Boston for Lisbon, accompanied by his family, private Secretary, and servants.

The longevity of the three first-born children in each of the three colonies is worth noting. July 20th. 1704. died in Marshfield, Peregrine White, aged 83 years, and 8 months. January 14th 1715, at Salem, Elizabeth Parch, aged 87, and April 14th of the last named year, died at Newport, Mary Godfrey, aged 77, all being the first-born, in the respective Colonies of Plymouth, Massachusetts, and Rhode-Island.—*Plym Mem.*

Extraordinary Cow—A Cow belonging to Mr. Jonathan Congdon, of Providence, gave, in 30 days, ending on the 6th inst. 1521 pounds of milk, which, weighing 2 pounds and a half to the quart, beer measure, makes *six hundred and eight quarts*, averaging 20 quarts and a half pint each day. The Cow was raised in Cranston, and is about 9 years old.

The New-York American of Saturday last, says.—"A singular, yet not unprecedented occurrence, we are informed, took place on the evening of the 4th of July, at one of the public gardens in this city A young woman, decently dressed but apparently feeble, was sitting in one of the alcoves with an infant in her arms. Near her was a young gentleman, a foreigner, to whom the young lady addressed herself, and begged him to hold her child for a moment until she had adjusted some part of her dress. He was too polite not to yield to her request. In a moment she disappeared in the crowd, and could not afterwards be found The young gentleman was left with a sleeping infant in his arms, surrounded by his jeering companions, and was perhaps the only person present who could not raise a smile at witnessing his early and unwelcome paternity."

At a Circuit Court holden at Watertown, New-York, on the 23d ult. before Chief Justice Spencer an action was tried for *breach of promise of marriage*, in which Lucy Baker was plaintiff, and Palmer Cleaveland, Esq defendant—The Jury found a verdict for the plaintiff, with *four hundred* dollars damages.

Accidents, Crimes, &c.

On Friday week, a sailor who was passing in Water-street, New-York, observing an anchor against a store, took hold of it and pulled it over; unfortunately it fell on his body and injured him so severely, that he died the next day. The anchor weighed 900 lbs.

Narrow Escape.—A gentleman arose from his bed on the night of the 22d ult. and seated himself in the third story of a house in Savannah, from whence he fell whilst asleep, and was precipitated to the ground, 40 feet, without breaking a bone in the fall.

A daring robbery was committed in Yorke's Hotel, Philadelphia, a few nights ago. A Mr. Ford, from Baltimore, had his pocket book taken from his pocket while asleep in his bedroom. The pocket book contained notes to the amount of $ 1,385.

Church Constituted.

On Wednesday last a Baptist Church was constituted in the Village of WICKFORD (R. I.) under the name of the *First Baptist Church in Wickford*—The Rev. Zalmon Tobey, of North-Providence preached a Sermon on the occasion, from Ephesians 4th chap. 15th & 16th verses.—The Rev Gershom Palmer, of Exeter gave the right hand of fellowship—The Rev. William Northup, of North-Kingstown, addressed the Church and the solemnities were closed by a Prayer, by the Rev. Mr. Palmer.—The Rev. John Ormsbee is expected to officiate as Pastor of the Church

MARRIED,

At Tiverton on Sunday last, by the Rev, Mr. Peckham, Mr JOSHUA VAN DOORN, of Bristol, to Miss PHILADELPHIA GRAY, of Tiverton—Mr JOSEPH SALISBURY to Miss RUTH B. SISSON, of Portsmouth

DIED,

In this town on Saturday last, Mrs. MARCY HARRIS, for many years an exemplary member of the 2d Baptist Church in this town, aged 78 years

On Tuesday, Mrs. SARAH GREENMAN wife of Deacon William Greenman, aged 53 years.

Drowned on the 19th March, near Valpairaiso, Lieut JAMES ALEXANDER PERRY, of this town, (brother of the the late Com. O H. Perry,) aged 23 years, 5th Lieutenant of the United States ship Franklin, Com Stewart—Lieut. Perry was one of the most promising young officers in the American Navy, which he entered very early in life

At Providence on Wednesday last, Miss HANNAH M COAT daughter of the late Mr. Bradford Coat of this town, aged 16 years.—On Thursday, suddenly, Miss SARAH DORRANCE, eldest daughter of the late Capt Jonathan Dorrance, aged 42 years

At Wickford on Monday last, Mr. STUKELY BROWN, jun. aged 39 years

At North Kingstown on the 27th ult Mrs RACHEL CHADSEY, widow of Mr Silvester Chadsey aged 49 years.

WEEKLY ALMANACK.

1822. July.	Sun rises.	Sun sets.	High water.	Moon rises.
13 *Saturday,*	4 36	7 24	2 28	morn.
14 *Sunday,*	4 37	7 23	3 26	0 7
15 *Monday,*	4 38	7 22	4 28	0 56
16 *Tuesday,*	4 38	7 22	5 33	1 56
17 *Wednesday,*	4 39	7 21	6 36	3 3
18 *Thursday,*	4 40	7 20	7 37	sets.
19 *Friday,*	4 41	7 19	8 33	8 17

New Moon 18th day, 2h. 16 min. in the Afternoon.

MARINE LIST.

Port of Newport,

JULY 13, 1822.

ENTERED.

Schooner Shibboleth Perry, Cerena, Paddock, Havanna ditto via New-York

Sloop Invincible. Tanner, New-York

CLEARED

NONE

Monday, July 8

Arrived Schooner Sarah Baxter, from Portland bound to New-York.

Schooner Cerena, Paddock, from Havanna via New-York.

Schooner Ino, Dough, from Winton, North-Carolina.

Sloop Lady Washington, Fowler, from Newbern.

Sloop Invincible, Tanner, from Mobile via New-York

Packet Ann-Maria, Gardner, from New-York.

Wednesday, July 10.

Arrived Schooner Rolla Devens, 51 days from St. Thomas, (Africa) with a cargo of Coffee, Palm Oil, Ivory and Gold Dust, bound to Bristol—Left there no American vessels.—The brig Cherub, Leach, of Boston, left St. Thomas May 15th, for Princess Island—June 20th, lat. 20, long. 59, spoke schr. Pearl, 16 days from New-London for the West Indies.

Schooner Nancy & Polly, Davis, from Currituck

Thursday, July 11.

Arrived Steam-Boat Connecticut, Bunker, 19 hours from New-York, with 52 passengers among whom were Hon. Wm. Hunter, Governor Gibbs and lady, &c

Schooner Friendship, Nickerson, from Bath.

Sloop Lydia, Nickerson, from Newburyport.

Friday July 12.

Arrived Sloop Jane, Gallison, from New-Bedford.

Sloop James Lawrence, Heath, from Boston.

Sloop Nancy, Crowell, from New-York.

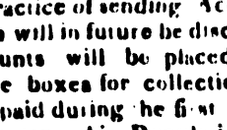
Sailed on Sunday last, Ship George & Mary, Winslow, on a Whaling voyage to the Brazil Bank.

MARINE MEMORANDA

Arrived at New-York, on Tuesday, schooner Kennebeck Trader, Gale, 13 days from Havana.

Arrived at Charleston, on the 2d instant, brig Mary Wilcox, of this port, 7 days from Havanna.—Left, brig Argus, for Providence uncertain; and brig Antelope, Jarvis, for ditto, 3 days

Arrived at Liverpool May 24th, Brig Balance, Bennett; of Bristol, from New-Orleans.



Rhode-Island and New-York Steam-Boats.

THE CONNECTICUT, Captain BUNKER, and the FULTON, Captain LAW, will in future ply between this port and New-York, touching at Newport.

From New-York—a Boat will depart every Wednesday and Saturday, at 4 o'clock P M.

From Providence—a Boat will depart on Wednesday and Saturday, at 6 o'clock A. M.

Providence, July 12. tf.

Post-Office Notice.

GREAT inconvenience having resulted to this Department by giving credit for Postages of Letters;—Notice is now given, that all Accounts not punctually paid at the end of each Quarter, as it shall occur, will in future be discontinued Those gentlemen who have been waited upon with their Accounts, *for the payment of Accounts now due, and who have not paid the same*, are informed they are now closed, and no letter, in future, addressed to them, will be delivered without the Postage being previously paid

The practice of sending Accounts for collection will in future be discontinued; the Accounts will be placed in their respective boxes for collection, which must be paid during the first week in *each Quarter*—this Regulation is irrevocable.

B. B. MUMFORD *Post-Master.*

Newport, July 13, 1822.

Sheathing Paper, Linseed Oil, Staves, &c.

A CONSTANT supply of the following kinds of PAPER, of a very superior quality may be had by applying to

E. W. LAWTON,

Corner of Washington Square and Thames Street—VIZ

Fine Sheathing for Copper—Sand Sheathing—Double and single Wrapping, extra sizes—Kentish Cap, for Hardware, &c

A L S O,

10 Bbls. Waterman's Linseed OIL
10,000 W O. Hhd, STAVES
60 000 CIGARS.
One Case Superfine LINENS, *Cheap* by the Piece or Yard.

Newport, July 13. 3w

NEW GOODS

JOHN B. NEWTON, Has just Opened,

A VARIETY of NEW GOODS, among them are :—Black Canton and Nakin Crapes; assorted colours ditto; Black Sarsnets and Synchaws; superfine black Levantines; British & American Shirtings and Sheetings; Calicoes of various descriptions: an assortment of Ribbons; green, white, pink, and light blue Florences; white silk lace; green garze; fancy silk Hdkfs.; black twill'd and plain Bombazets; American Stripes and Ginghams; 8-4 imitation Shawls, &c. &c.

Also, A few Leghorn BONNETS.

Newport, July 13.

Commission Paint Store.

LINSEED OIL; Paints of all kinds, dry and ground in Oil Painters Brushes and Tools, Window Glass, Putty &c &c.—*For Sale by*

WILLIAM W. VERNON,

Who returns his most grateful thanks to his Friends and Customers for past favours, and would inform them, that he has removed to No. 134 Thames Street, nearly opposite the Office of the Newport Mercury, where he continues to carry on the business of Painting and Glazing in its various branches, and and where he constantly attends to receive their commands—The smallest favours gratefully acknowledged, and the strictest attention paid to all orders

Newport, July 13.

Auctions.

On MONDAY, July 15th,

At XI o'clock A. M will be sold at Public Auction, on the premises (if not previously disposed of at private Sale)

A HOUSE and Wharf situated on Thames-street, formerly the property of the late Thomas Freebody, Esq—Conditions at the time of sale—Any particulars respecting the above Estate, may be known by applying to the Subscriber, previous to the Sale.

WILLIAM LOVIE, *Auc'r.*

Newport, June 28.

On WEDNESDAY, July 17th

At XII o'clock A M will be Sold at Public Auction on FOWLER'S *wharf.*

THE Sloop NIAGARA, burthen 67 Tons.—she was built in the City of New York in the year 1817, of the most durable materials, live oak and locust; has a full suit of Sails now in December last, and is in every other respect well found—This vessel is of an easy draft of water, and particularly well calculated for the Southern or North-River business, in both of which she has been employed—Conditions made known at the time and place of Sale

JOSIAH C. SHAW, *Auc'r.*

Newport, July 13.

NOTICE,

IS hereby given, that agreeably to an Act of the Hon General Assembly, passed at their June Session A D 1822, there will be sold at Public Vendue, on the 30th day of September next, at One o'clock P M One half of a large House and Garden situated on Little Rest Hill, in South Kingstown, now occupied by Widow *Mary Barker*, and is a good situation for a Public or private House—The Estate is subject to a life Lease, and to the dower of two Widows; said Estate belongs to the heirs of Joseph Pollock, deceased—The bounds of the Estate, and conditions of sale, made known at the time and place.

GEORGE BROWN jun. *Auc'r.*

South Kingstown, June 21 1822

R. I Bridge Company.

THE Stockholders are notified that their Annual Meeting for the choice of Officers will be holden on MONDAY the 22d July instant at XI o'clock A M at the Bank of Rhode-Island.

by Order,

W MARCHANT, *Clerk.*

Newport July 10.

TICKETS,

IN the Third Class of the Lottery for the Encouragement of Domestic Industry, are now ready for sale by the Managers.

The object for the aid of which this Lottery was granted, being so beneficial to the best interests of the community, comprehending besides a stimulus to industry, the aid of Agriculture and Domestic Manufactures, is so well known and appreciated that it needs no recommendation from us, We therefore offer the following Scheme; flattering ourselves that it will meet with general approbation

SCHEME!

1 Prize of		10,000 is	$ 10.000
8	of	1000	3000
6		500	3000
8		300	2400
8		200	1600
40		100	4000
100		50	5000
120		20	2100
3100		6	18.600
3.386 Prizes			50,000
6614 Blanks			
10,000 Tickets at $5 each,			50,000

Less than Two Blanks to a Prize—All Prizes subject to a deduction of 15 per cent. Prizes only will be drawn. Three hundred numbers will be considered a day's drawing, except on the last day when 386 will be drawn All prizes not demanded within one year from the last day's drawing, will be deemed as generously given to the Lottery.

The capital Prizes will be disposed as follows:—

The 1st drawn number will be entitled to	$ 500
On the 2d day there will be deposited in the wheel 8 prizes of	300
3d day one of	500
4th day one of	500
5th day, one of	500
6th day, one of	500
7th day, one of	500
8th day one of	1000
9th day, one of	1000
10th day, one of	1000
11th day, one of	10,000

Drawing will commence on the 19th day of October next.

GEORGE OLNEY,
DEXTER HURBER,
STANFORD NEWELL,
Managers.

Providence, July 10. 3w

POETRY.

FROM THE COMMERCIAL ADVERTISER.

TO ——

COME let me hear that voice again,
Whose magic murmurs thrill!
There's more than music in the strain,
And yet, 'tis fleeting still.
Oh, breathe once more! my soul the while
Will every pain forget;
Each trembling note can well beguile
The pangs of deep regret.

Come, let me hear that voice, again
Awake the tuneful lay!
Its soothing accents banish pain,
And sorrow melts away.
The sound comes o'er my troubled soul,
As zephyrs o'er the sea,
When the wild billows cease to roll,
And gathering storm clouds flee.

Then let me hear that voice, again
Awake its melody!
My spirit ceases to complain,
Rapt with the harmony.
Oh! if the guiltless bliss of heaven,
That seraph bosoms swell,
Is ever by mercy kindly given,
A moment here to dwell—

'Tis when the voice of friendship wakes
The music of the heart—
Then may the spell of sorrow breake,
And anguish'd thoughts depart.
Then let me hear that voice again,
Whose magic numbers thrill!
There's more than music in the strain,
Though 'tis fleeting still.

From the London Ladies' Museum.

SONG.

THE heath this night must be my bed,
The bracken curtain for my head,
My lullaby the warder's tread,
Far, far from love and thee, Mary!

To-morrow eve, more stilly laid
My couch may be my bloody plaid,
My vesper song thy wail, sweet maid!
It will not waken me, Mary!

I may not, dare not, fancy now
The grief that clouds thy lovely brow,
I dare not think upon thy vow,
And all it promis'd me, Mary!

No fond regret must Norman know;
When burst Clan-Alpine on the foe;
His heart must be like bended bow,
His foot like arrow free, Mary!

A time will come with feeling fraught!
For fame I fight in battle fought,
Thy hapless lover's dying thought
Shall be a thought on thee, Mary!

And, if return'd from conquer'd foes,
How blithely will the evening close!
How sweet to meet thy sparkling rose
To my young bride and me, Mary!

MISCELLANY.

THE CHURCH-YARD.

You have sauntered, perhaps, of a mild night evening, out of the precincts of the living moving world, to linger, and contemplate among the grass-grown memorials of those who are gone—

"*The body to its place, and the soul to Heaven's grace,*
"*And the rest in God's own time*"

An appalling chill shoots through the current of life at the undisturbed and universal silence of the scene—the stars tranquilly shining on the white marble, and feebly illuminating the name which friendship had carved for the slumberer beneath—here the grass waving in rank luxuriance, as if to hide the triumphs and the trophies of death—and there a human bone unearthed from its time-worn sepulchre, a ghastly visitor to the realms of day—a wooden tablet marking the repose of the humble—a cross, the sign of the sleeping believer—and lofty and magnificent memorials over the mortal remains of the wealthy and the great—Ah! who, in such an assemblage as this, can be accounted great! What gold survives the crucible of death!

We can learn nothing from the living which the dead do not teach us. Would beauty be modest and unpretending, let her quit the ball and the festival for a moment, and carry her toilet to the tomb. Would the proud learn humility the resentful good nature—the penurious charity—the frivolous seriousness—the bigot philanthropy;—would the schools ascertain the true objects of knowledge—the man of the world the true means of happiness here and hereafter—and the ambitious the true sources of greatness—let him retire awhile from the living, and commune with the dead. We must all come to the mournful silent level of the grave. Our bones must mingle in one common mass. Our affections should travel in the path, for they must terminate in one fearful tissue. Life is full of fascinating objects of virtue and of happiness;—and when you would neglect or abuse them, go and purify your affections, and humble your pride, and elevate your hopes, at the tomb of a friend, when the stars are shining upon it, like the glorious beams of religion on the mansion of death.

Charleston Courier.

ATHENS.

ATHENS presented the most admirable of all the models of social civility; which the abuses of the passions cannot diminish, though it has been attempted to impute to her as a nation, the crimes of those who subverted and violated all that was admirable in her institutions—she united the perfection of rural with civic life. The historians, who seem to be more fond of describing the vices and crimes of mankind, than of doing justice to the virtues, have dwelt with studious prolixity on the miseries which war and ambition had inflicted on them; while the graces that decorated, and the genius that embellished the people, are not described with the same fondness. We have the histories of their tyrants, and oppressors, the traitors who betrayed, the oppressors who trampled upon their liberties; that people who amidst their civil occupations, united an invariable attachment and taste for rural affairs; who with a sterile soil, embellished it by their genius, arts, and labours, until the avarice of nature was, compensated by art and industry.

The whole of Attica consisted of no more than 250 square miles—the city of Athens was seven in circumference.—Such was the extent of territory that wrought such wonders, and attained such merited pre-eminence. The most powerful nations of Europe, with all their resources, have never equalled Athens. The population of a square league of France, according to Neckar, was 900 souls. That of Athens was 4000.

As no Athenian appeared in any public deliberation, or gave a vote before his 30th year, the number who had an effective power was about 6000 persons. Solon deemed that number at that age, as best calculated to express the just sense of the people. When war was to be declared, they did not assemble in a body, but in townships or cantons, of which the territory was composed of ten. The canton of Halimæ contained, on one occasion, only 60 citizens, above the age of 30; of course the question was deliberated and debated by no more than that number. The enemies of that republic have odiously mutilated and perverted the Athenian history. The object has been to disparage republics.

According to the laws of Solon, emigrants who established themselves with their family at Athens, in some useful art, became qualified from that instant, to enjoy the rights of a citizen.

To be a citizen in Athens, was held to be more honorable than to be a Prince in other nations—many kings of Europe and Asia solicited that honor, among whom were Leucon, Tereus, Evagaros, Perdiccas, and Dionysius.

The golden age of Athens was 512 years before our era—it was the age of Solon.

The greatest men of Athens were concerned in the useful arts.

Lysias the orator, had a manufactory of bucklers or shields in Athens, in which he employed one hundred artisans.

Demosthenes used his tutor, Aphobus, for two manufactories of ivory, brass, wood, iron, and sword blades.

DE PAUW.

FONTELLE.

The author of the "Pluralite des Mondes," lived near 100 years. A lady of nearly equal age said to him one day, in a large company, "Monsieur, you and I stay here so long, I have a notion death has forgotten us." "Speak as softly as you can Madam," replied the veteran, "lest you should remind him of us."

EGOTISM.

Most of our modern prefaces saviour very strongly of Egotism. Every insignificant author fancies it of importance to the world to know that he did write his book in the country, that he did it to pass away some of his idle hours, that it was published at the importunity of friends, or that his natural temper, studies, or conversation, directed him to the choice of his subject.

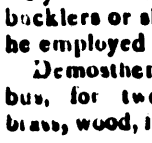
Such information cannot but be highly improving to the reader.

INTEMPERANCE.

There is no character which appears more despicable and deformed than that of a drunkard.—Bonosus who was addicted to this vice, having set up for a share in the Roman empire, and being defeated in a great battle, he hung himself. When he was seen by the army in this condition, notwithstanding he had behaved himself very bravely, the common jest was, that the thing they saw hanging upon the tree before them, was not a man but a bottle.

TO LET,

And Possession given immediately,



THAT large and pleasantly situated Dwelling-House in Bridge-Street, with or without furniture, (commonly called the Hoskins' house—it has a large and excellent Garden, with Fruit Trees and Shrubbery, and is one of the most pleasant situations in Newport—For terms, apply to

JOHN L. BOSS.

Newport, May 4.

M. SESSIONS,
Has just received,

A FRESH Supply of Spring and Summer GOODS, which he offers for Sale on the most accommodating terms.—Among which are:—

Merino Shawls & Handkerchiefs	Cassimere Shawls
Imitation Do.	Superfine Broadcloths & Cassim'rs
Valencia long do.	Low priced ditto
Fancy silk Hndkfs.	Red, white, green & yellow Flannels
Gauze ditto	Sattinette
Silk Scarfs	Woolinette
Crape Shawls	Silk, Marseilles & Valencia vestings
Levantine ditto	Striped Jeans, a large assortment
Cotton ditto, with sattin borders	4-4 & 6-4 Cambrics
Silk, cotton & worsted Hose	Do Jaconet
Long English silk Gloves	Black & coloured India Levantines
Kid habit ditto	Do. Sattins
Silk Gauze	Ginghams
Cypress Crape	Stamp'd Cambrics
Italian ditto	Pattern Dresses, new fashion
Nankin & Canton ditto,	Flag & black silk Handkerchiefs
Thread and silk Laces	Cotton flag ditto
Fancy and plain Ribbons	Cambric & common Dimities
Real India Book Muslins	Carlile Ginghams
Imitation ditto	Black, blue & yellow Nankins
India mull muslins	Black & col. worsted Bombazins for gentlemen's wear
Imitation ditto	5-8 5-4 Bombazin
A few Leghorns very cheap	Silk & twists
Calicoes, a great variety	

Newport, May 8,

MARBLE MONUMENTS

TOMBS, Chimney Pieces Hearths, Fire Places and Grave Stones, of American and Italian Marble, blue, white and clouded, for Sale on the Packet Wharf, NEWPORT.

ALSO,

500 pair of Grave Stones, of the finest and most durable Blue Slate, warranted superior to any Sold in this State.—Free Stone for Windows Cape and Sills, Hearths Fire Places and Steps.

All of which will be Sold at the *lowest Prices for Cash*, Country Produce, or other Merchandise and on a long credit required *Apply to*

JAMES STEVENS,
Pelham-Street.

Newport, March 17.

The Union Factory.

WOOL CARDING.

THE Subscribers respectully inform their Friends, and the public in general, that they have established the Indigo Blue Dyeing, and have employed an experienced workman at colouring and finishing.—Woolen Goods of all descriptions will be finished in the neatest manner and on the most reasonable terms

Wool of all grades carded into rolls in the best manner. They continue to manufacture Wool on shares or by contract, as may best suit their employers

The following persons will receive and forward any articles intended for the Union Factory viz.—*Edward Stanhope* and *Robert K & Francis Carr*, Newport.—*George Lawton* Tiverton.—*Jeremiah Gifford*, Bristol Ferry.

The Subscribers return their sincere thanks to their old customers and solicit the continuance of their favors.

JOHN BABCOCK,
MOSES LAWTON.

Portsmouth Nov. 10.

NOTICE.

THE Subscriber respectfully informs his Friends and the Public that he has on hand a good Assortment of West India GOODS, &c. which he will sell as cheap as at any other in the County, for Cash or approved credit.

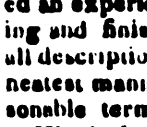
Also, He would inform the Public, that he is chosen one of the Auctioneers for the Town of South-Kingstown, and he will sell at Auction, at his Store on Tower-Hill, every other Saturday, beginning at 1 o clock in the Afternoon.—Sales will commence on *Saturday*, the 29th of June inst. for West-India and Dry Goods, Hardware, &c.

JOHN BROWN.

N. B.—All Persons indebted to the Subscriber of more than three months standing, are requested to call and settle the same without delay.

S. Kingstown. (Tower Hill) June 7

FOR SALE,



A FARM in Exeter, about 7 miles from Wickford, and 2 from Little-Rest hill, containing 345 Acres of Land, about 150 of which is Woodland. The Farm has on it a New Dwelling-House, Barn, and other buildings, with a Saw Mill—Any person disposed to purchase, may know the terms, which will be very reasonable, by calling on the Subscribers.

CHRIS. A. SWEET, *Newport.*
BAILEY HALL, *Middletown*

Newport, May 25.

In Town-Meeting,

JUNE 4th, 1822.

An Act to preserve and regulate the FOUNTAIN, lately erected near the foot of the Mall in Washington-square

BE it enacted by the Freemen of Newport in Town-Meeting assembled, and by the authority thereof it is enacted, That from and after the passing of this Act, there shall be chosen by the Freemen of said Town, some suitable and proper person, whose duty it shall be to superintend the said Fountain, and have the care thereof, and who in full compensation for his trouble and services, is hereby authorised to charge and collect Two Cents for each and every hogshead of water filled at said fountain for the use of any ship or vessel bound upon any foreign voyage, or for any other purpose other than domestic use.

And be it further enacted, That if any person or persons shall hereafter deface, or in any way injure any of the works attached to said Fountain, or shall put any filth of any kind whatever in the stream or tub of said Fountain, or shall in any other way foul the water thereof, or shall by any act divert the water running from the spout of said fountain, by collecting and throwing off the same with the hand or otherwise to the annoyance of any one, or shall do any act or thing at the reservoir from which said stream flows, calculated to injure any of the works belonging to the said Fountain, or to render unwholesome the waters running to it, every person so offending, shall forfeit and pay a fine not less than One Dollar, and not exceeding Four Dollars, for each and every offence, one-half thereof to and for the use of the Town, and the other half to and for the use of him who shall sue for and recover the same, to be recovered in an action of debt, before any Court competent to try the same.

Witness,
CHARLES GYLES, *Town-Clerk.*

An Act for the better preservation of the Side-walks in Newport.

BE it enacted by the Freemen of said Town in Town-Meeting assembled, That from and after the passing of this Act, every person who shall ride, drive or lead any horse, or shall drive or lead any horse and cart, waggon, dray, sled, sleigh or any other vehicle drawn by one or more horses, ox or oxen, or shall wheel a wheel-barrow upon or against any side-walk, now laid or which may hereafter be laid in this Town with brick or flat stones, unless for the purpose of necessarily crossing such side-walks; or shall fasten or hitch any horse or horses, or oxen, so that they may stand on such side-walk; or shall saw or deposit any wood, lumber, or other materials thereon; or shall in any other manner whatever obstruct, or render inconvenient the free use of such side-walk for foot passengers, such person so offending shall for each and every offence, forfeit and pay for the use of said Town, a sum not exceeding Ten Dollars, and not less than One Dollar, at the discretion of the Court before whom the offender may be tried, to be recovered in any action of debt, in the name of the Town-Treasurer, before any Court competent to try the same.

And be it further enacted, That the horse or horses, ox or oxen, fastened or hitched as aforesaid, so as to get on, or be liable to get on any such side walk, may be let loose by any freeholder of said Town.

And whereas all passengers on the side-walk in Thames-Street, would be greatly accommodated, if those passing up said Street were as far as conveniently might be, to use one of said side-walks and those passing down to use the other. Therefore for the purpose of recommending so convenient a practice, *Be it further enacted*, That all persons passing up said Street, shall take the right or easterly side-walk of said street; and all persons passing down, shall take the right or westerly side-walk of said street. And that it shall be the duty of all persons passing contrary to this act, to give way for those passing in conformity thereto.—And be it further enacted, that all persons standing on either of said side-walks, shall carefully avoid obstructing the passage of those passing in conformity to the foregoing resolution.

And be it further enacted, That all former acts heretofore passed on this subject, which are contrary to this Act, be and the same are hereby repealed.

Witness,
CHARLES GYLES, *Town-Clerk.*

Newport, June 4, 1822

NOTICE.

M. POPE,

Respectfully informs his Friends and the Public,

THAT he has appointed Mr. HENRY POTTER, Merchant, of Newport, as Agent for selling MUSTARD &c. where those who wish to purchase to sell again, can be supplied at the Factory prices.

Newport, June 29.

WM. S. PATTEN,

Attorney at Law and Justice of the Peace.

OFFICE next South of the Office of the Newport Mercury.

Newport, June 22.

BEEF, &c.

S. & G. BOWEN,
Have for Sale at their Store, on Stevens' Wharf.

200 Bbls. No. 1 & 2 Boston BEEF.—30 do. Mess do. Do. Mess and Prime PORK.
100 Boxes No. 1 & 2 Soap.
Russia and Ravens Duck.
Bar and Bolt Iron; Iron Hoops Anchors, Nails, Naval Stores, Leather Salt, Codfish, Grindstones, and a general Assortment of
Ship-Chandlery & Groceries

Newport, Nov. 17.

30,000

American Segars, of a superior quality, for Sale by
E. W. LAWTON.

Newport, May 18.

General Vaccination.

To the Committee appointed by the town of Newport to receive Proposals to Vaccinate the inhabitants thereof.

WE, the undersigned have taken into consideration the laudable intention of the citizens of our Town, as expressed in your publication to institute a General Vaccination—as we are desirous to contribute as much as is in our power, to extend the benefits of that important discovery, we do hereby cheerfully make a tender of our professional services without requiring any pecuniary compensation.—Should this offer meet with their approbation, we will attend at such convenient place as may be provided by the Town, on six successive Saturdays, from the hours of 3 to 5 o'clock in the Afternoon.

DAVID KING,
W. TURNER.
EDM'D WARING
CHARLES COTTON.

Newport, May 14th, 1822.

In Town-Meeting June 4th, 1822.

THE Committee appointed at the last April Town-Meeting to ascertain the best terms on which the Inhabitants of this Town can have the benefit of the Kine pock Inoculation executed to them Report as follows, That they have received proposals from four of the physicians viz. David King, William Turner, Edmund P. Waring, and Charles Cotton, stating that they will tender their services to the Town for the purpose, on six successive Saturdays, without any pecuniary consideration, at such place as may be provided by the Town.—Wherefore it is voted to accept the same, and that the same Committee be continued; to make the necessary arrangements as to time and place, and to give notice to the Inhabitants thereof.

A true Copy from the Records,
CHARLES GYLES, *Clerk.*

THE undersigned Committee in conformity to their appointment, beg leave to state for the information of their fellow-citizens, that on

Saturday Next, the 15th inst.

Will commence a *General Vaccination* throughout the Town of Newport, which will be continued during three successive Saturdays, from the hours of 3 to 5 in the Afternoon, at the Methodist Chapel; and the next three succeeding Saturdays at the Rev Dr. Patten's Meeting-House, at the hours specified,—where the Physicians above mentioned, who have generously proffered their professional services for the accomplishment of so important an object, will be in attendance; as also the Committee, to preserve order.

Our fellow-citizens are respectfully and earnestly requested to use every effort to promote the design in view; their own safety and that of the rising generation, as well as the best interests of the Town, imperiously demands their attention to this subject

JOHN G. WHITEHORNE,
JOHN SLOCUM,
JOHN WILLIAMS,
DANIEL DENHAM,
WILLIAM ENNIS.

Newport, June 12, 1822.

NOTICE.

THE Subscriber hereby gives notice that she is appointed Administratrix, with the Will annexed, upon the estate of

BORDEN WATSON,

late of Jamestown, deceased, (during the minority of *Abijah B Watson*, who is appointed Executor to the aforesaid Will) and having accepted of the trust, she requests all persons indebted to said estate, to make immediate payment; and those having claims against said estate, to exhibit them for settlement.

ISABEL WATSON, *Admin'x.*

Jamestown, May 31, 1822.

ATTENTION!

THE Members of the *NEWPORT INDEPENDENT VOLUNTEERS*, are requested to wear Crape on the left arm for the space of 30 days, as a testimony of respect for their deceased Member, Mr. JOHN COOK.

By order of the Commanding Officer,
JOHN B. NEWTON, *Clerk.*

Newport, June 22.